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TOPIC 1. Kamenz Airfield

2. Panzer Kaserne in Kamenz

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REMARKS

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1. Between [] 1953, construction work continued at Kamenz airfield. No air activity was conducted at the field. Aircraft were repeatedly observed crossing over the field. On [] jet fighters were observed flying south of Kamenz. At about 1 p.m. on [] the noise of aircraft engines was heard above the clouds. At 1:45 a.m. on [] two twin-engine aircraft were observed flying toward Dresden. At 10:15 a.m. on [] two swept-back jet fighters circled over Kamenz for about 5 minutes.

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3. On [] no air activity was conducted at the airfield. Between 10 a.m. and 1 p.m., about 10 groups each of 15 men wearing blue coveralls marched from the field to the Panzer Kaserne. The leader of the personnel wore a V.P. uniform with a red brassard bearing the letters "O.v.K." Construction work in the southern section of the field proceeded slowly.

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4. No aircraft were stationed at the field on []. Construction workers at the field stated that a drainage system was intended to be laid on the western edge of the field. One of the new quartering buildings at the field had been completed to as far as the roof. Other work was being done in the interior. About 70 percent of the windows of the Panzer Kaserne were lighted at night.

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1. [] Comment. Kamenz airfield and the Husaren Kaserne in Kamenz are now occupied only by the 500th VPL school for technical officers and NCOs. VPL Soldiers are probably assigned also to construction work at the airfield. The letters "O.v.K." probably stand for "Offizier vom Kompaniedienst", duty officer.

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